



DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND



NOISE WAIVER CERTIFICATE

ISSUED TO: Digging & Rigging/Stephanie Kehoe, Traffic Engineering Service
Owner/Operator

Valid From: April 2, 2019

Valid To: May 1, 2019

Type of Waiver: Temporary

Authorizing: Nighttime work includes the use of a mobile crane to replace cooling tower units at 5269 River Road, Bethesda. Due to safety issues, work hours are expected to be from 9:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. and shall be performed under the following conditions:

1. All reasonable efforts should be made to perform the noisiest activities as early in the evening as possible.
2. Machinery shall be equipped with well-maintained and effective mufflers, and moving parts shall be well lubricated to avoid unnecessary noise from squeaking parts. Machinery access doors and hatches should remain closed when the units are in operation and all machinery should be operated at the minimum level necessary to get the job done. Minimize banging, clattering, buzzing and other annoying types of noises.
3. Hauling trucks and machinery shall be operated at the minimum power level necessary to complete the task in a safe manner.
4. The unnecessary backing of machinery and trucks with traditional tonal backup alarms must be avoided.
5. Prolonged idling of machinery and vehicles must be avoided. If machinery or vehicles are not utilized for long periods, they should be shut off to reduce idling noise.
6. DEP may suspend or revoke this approval for any violation of the terms and conditions, and may make modifications to the terms and conditions based on the results of noise monitoring or the noise impact of certain activities.

DEPC Case 20191333

Location of Work: 5269 River Road

Town: Bethesda

Zip: 20816

Approved By:

Stan Edwards FOR

Director, Department of Environmental Protection

Date: April 1, 2019

This certificate must be available at the work site.

Cc: MC Police, 2nd District, Bethesda Station
BCC Regional Service Center
Stan Edwards, DEP/DEPC
Steve Martin, DEP/DEPC

INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS CERTIFICATE CAN BE OBTAINED FROM
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